

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE.

Company "A" Ranger Force, Station "Alice, Texas".

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Bexar,

I, C. J. Hanson, born in Rancho, Gonzales
County,
in the State of Texas, aged 29 years and 9 months, and by occupation a
Oil business, do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this day of 11th
September 1917, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years, unless sooner
discharged by proper authority. And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such bounty, pay, subsistence
and other expenses as are or may be established by law. And I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully and impar-
tially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of the Ranger Force according to the best of
my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this State, and I do further
solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought
a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person
thus offending. And I furthermore swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, con-
tributed nor promised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure
my appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of September 1917, A. D. 1917.

Claudia E. Dwyer
Notary Public Bexar Co. Texas

I certify that C. J. Hanson, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me pre-
vious to his enlistment and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and will faithfully
perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 29 years 9
months of age. Height 5 feet 11 inches. Complexion Dark, Eyes Brown,
Hair Dark, Born at Rancho County of Gonzales, State of Texas.
Occupation Oil Business, Married or single SINGLE, Previous service
approximately six months as private in Company "A", stationed Alice Texas.
Remarks

J. J. Sanders
Captain Co. "A" Ranger Force.

STATE OF TEXAS

OATH OF MEMBERS
RANGER FORCE

Name C.J. Hanson

Rank Private

Company "A", Ranger Force

Station Alice, Texas.

REGULAR.

Transferred to Co. F.

Transferred to
detached duty
from 11/19/19.

VON BOECKMANN-JONES CO., PRINTERS, AUSTIN

Received May 26/19

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

COMMISSION
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

This is to Certify, THAT I, JAMES A. HARLEY,

The Adjutant General, State of Texas, by virtue of Authority vested in me as Adjutant General,
State of Texas, under the Constitution and Laws of said State do hereby commission

C. J. Hanson

a

Private

in the Texas Ranger Force.

This Commission will be exhibited as his authority to act with full authority as a Ranger anywhere in the State of Texas

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 10 day of September 1918

Handwritten signature of C. J. Hanson in cursive script.

Not valid unless countersigned by Holder

Handwritten signature of James A. Harley in cursive script.

The Adjutant General, State of Texas

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer. C. J. Hansen

is a Private in Company "A" Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 27th Legislature of the State of Texas, Approved March 29th, 1901, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

Name	<u>C. J. Hansen</u>	Rank	<u>Private.</u>
Age	<u>28 years--8 months</u>	Where born	<u>Gonzales Co. Texas.</u>
Height	<u>5 ft.--11 inches.</u>	Occupation	<u>Oil Business</u>
Hair	<u>Brown</u>	Enlisted Where	<u>San Antonio Texas.</u>
Eyes	<u>Dark.</u>	Enlisted When	<u>May 15th 1916.</u>
Complexion	<u>Dark.</u>	Enlisted by Whom	<u>J. J. Sanders.</u>

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 18th day of May 1916.

[Signature]
The Adjutant General.

Attest: [Signature]
Captain Ranger Force
Commanding Co. "A"

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE.

Company "A" Ranger Force, Station ALICE, TEXAS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF BEXAR.

I, C. J. HANSON, born in RANCHO, GONZALES
in the State of TEXAS, aged 28 years and 11 months, and by occupation a
Oil business do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this day of 24th
October 1916.
1916., as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years, unless sooner
discharged by proper authority. And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such bounty, pay, subsistence
and other expenses as are or may be established by law. And I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully and impar-
tially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of the Ranger Force according to the best of
my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this State, and I do further
solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought
a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person
thus offending. And I furthermore swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, con-
tributed nor promised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure
my appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24th day of October, A. D. 1916.

I certify that C. J. Hanson, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me pre-
vious to his enlistment and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and will faithfully
perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 28 years 11
months of age. Height FIVE feet 11 inches. Complexion DARK Eyes BROWN
Hair BLACK Born at RANCHO County of GONZALES State of TEXAS
Occupation OIL DRILLER Married or single SINGLE Previous service
"SERVED IN COMPANY "A" STATE RANGERS AT ALICE TEXAS, 4 MONTHS 15 days
Remarks

J. J. Sanders
Captain Co. A Ranger Force.

STATE OF TEXAS

OATH OF MEMBERS
RANGER FORCE

C. J. Hamilton

Name *Heber E. Lister*

Rank *2nd Lt. & Adj. Gen.*

Company *C.*, Ranger Force

Station *Hamilton Texas*

Illinois

Received
May 30 - 1915

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE.

Company "A" Ranger Force, Station Alise

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF Jim Wells

I, G. J. Hanson, born in Rancho
in the State of Texas, aged 28 years and 8 months, and by occupation a
Oil Business do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this day of May
15, 1916, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years, unless sooner
discharged by proper authority. And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such bounty, pay, subsistence
and other expenses as are or may be established by law. And I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully and impar-
tially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of the Ranger Force according to the best of
my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this State, and I do further
solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought
a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person
thus offending. And I furthermore swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, con-
tributed nor promised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure
my appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of May, A. D. 1916

I certify that G. J. Hanson, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me pre-
vious to his enlistment and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and will faithfully
perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 28 years Eight
months of age. Height five feet 11 inches. Complexion dark Eyes dark
Hair dark Born at Rancho County of Gonzales State of Texas
Occupation Oil Business Married or single single Previous service none

Remarks

J. J. Sanders
Captain Co. _____ Ranger Force.

STATE OF TEXAS

OATH OF MEMBERS
RANGER FORCE

Name *E. J. Hammon*

Rank *Private*

Company *A*, Ranger Force

Station *Allice*

19 September, 1917.

From: The Adjutant General, State of Texas.

To: Captain J.J. Sanders, Alice, Texas.

Subject: Warrant of Authority.

1. Transmitted, herewith, warrant of authority issued in favor of C.J. Hanson, as Regular Ranger in Company "A", Texas Ranger Force, also passes over the M.K. & T., G.C. & S.F. and Texas Midland Ry., in favor of H. Keene, and B.T. Tumlinson Jr.

HENRY HUTCHINGS,
The Adjutant General, State of Texas.

May 28th. 1919

Mr. C. J. Hanson.
1129 West Ashby St.
San Antonio, Texas.

Dear C.J.:

I have your letter of the 26th. inst., letting me know that you had resigned from the Ranger Force, and I am sorry to learn that you are quitting us, but you will be back again some of these days.

I enclose the blanks as requested, and wish you all the luck in the world in your new venture.

With best regards,

Your friend,

Captain and Quartermaster.

Please send me your warrant of authority and pocket book. I might near forgot to mention this.